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Turtle Fest 2005 Features Outdoor Fun for all Ages

Fun for all ages, music and great food are in store those attending Turtle River State Park's Turtle Fest 2005 on Saturday, June 18. Billed as the park's annual pre-Father's Day celebration, activities will run from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. The event is sponsored by the Friends of Turtle River State Park.

Both mountain biking and road biking enthusiasts are invited to explore the park. Mountain bikers can experience the park's single-track trails by participating in a guided mountain bike ride beginning at 10 a.m. At 2 p.m., there will be a guided bike ride on the park's roadways.

Other activities include a scavenger hunt, Pathways to Fishing seminar, guided nature hikes and kids' crafts. Entertainment will be provided by the O'Neil Family Band. In addition, there will be exhibits and demonstrations presented by bike and RV dealers. A roast pork fundraiser will be held at the Woodland Lodge, from 11 a.m. until the food runs out, with proceeds going to the Friends of Turtle River State Park.

For more information about Turtle Fest 2005, contact Turtle River State Park at 701-594-4445. The park is located 20 miles west of Grand Forks on Highway 2.

Turtle Fest Schedule of Activities Saturday, June 18

10 a.m. Guided Mountain Bike Ride 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Pathways to Fishing Seminar

10 a.m.-4 p.m. Guided Nature Hikes 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Scavenger Hunt

Beginning at 11 a.m Pig Roast

Noon-3 p.m. O'Neil Family Band

Noon-4 p.m. Kids' Crafts

2 p.m. Guided Bike Ride on Park Roadways